

# S. F. RESIDENT PASSES AWAY

"SPANISH FORK—Hyrum Mickel Christensen, 68, a well known church worker and business man of Spanish Fork died Thursday at his residence of leakage of the heart and complications. He was born at Spanish Fork, Nov. 10, 1866. His parents were Mickel and Johanna Christoferson Christensen. He married Catherine Butler, March 30, 1889. They were the parents of eleven children, ten of whom survive him. He was very active in L. D. S. church work; choir leader of the Fourth ward choir and on stake board for some time; and a member of the bishopric.

He served eight years as a Spanish Fork city councilman. He was an employee of the Spanish Fork Co-op for twenty years, and was employed by the Oran A. Lewis store for several years. For the past ten years, he and his son, Donald, have conducted their own store, The Fourth Ward grocery.

The surviving children are: Mrs. John H. Bowen, Mrs. David C. Bown, Mrs. Rulen Swenson, and Donald Christensen, Spanish Fork; Arvel Christensen, Springville; Burnell Christensen, Salt Lake City; Angus Christensen, Copper; Deal C. and Rawlins Christensen, Watsonville, Calif.; Mila Christensen, Santiago, Calif.; one step son, William Banks, Spanish Fork. He has also 24 grandchildren and one great-grandchild, and one brother and four sisters, Einer Christensen, Mrs. Mary Jensen, Mrs. Sena Olsen and Mrs. Hannah Chapel, Spanish Fork, and Mrs. Stena Daniels, Payson.

His first wife died in 1916, and he married Mrs. Ellen Banks who survives him, January 16, 1918.

Funeral services will be held at the Fourth ward L. D. S. chapel Saturday at 2 p. m. Bishop Briggs officiating. Interment will be held in the Spanish Fork City cemetery.